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For: SMALL AND CYSTEINE RICH  
ANTIFUNGAL DEFENSIN AND  
THIONIN-LIKE PROTEIN GENES  
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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of October 7, 2003, Applicants hereby petition for a one month extension of time extending the period of response up to and including February 7, 2004. The Office is authorized to charge Kenyon & Kenyon's Deposit Account 11-0600 for the extension of time fee. Applicants submit the following amendments for entry in the present application and respectfully request reconsideration of the present application.